

Boston Store

THE WEATHER TUESDAY—
Cloudy and warmer tonight and
Tuesday; probably snow tonight.

In Full Blast
THE HOLIDAY SHOPPING IS ON. CUSTOMERS CROWD OUR COUNTERS EVERY HOUR OF THE DAY. We have put forward our best efforts to gather together the best and largest variety of Toys for the little folks and also more useful gifts for the older people. YOU MISS A TREAT IF YOU DON'T SEE OUR STORE THIS

Holiday Season—Dolls
Kid body Dolls, Jointed Dolls, Rag Dolls, Dolls with fair hair and dark hair in all sizes—Doll Go-Carts Rocking Chairs, etc.

Toys
Iron Toys, Fire Engines, Horse Carts, Hook and Ladder, Railroad Trains, Locomotives, Dray Wagons, Milk Wagons.

Wood Toys
Shooting Gallery, Grocery Stores, Pin-anos, in all sizes; School House, Horse and Wagon, A. B. C. Building Blocks, Doll Hammocks, Doll Beds, Doll Cradles, Hill Climbers, etc.

Mechanical Toys That Wind UP OR GO BY STEAM LOCOMOTIVES—Hill Climbers, Automobiles, Stoves, Clowns with Bucking Horses, Music Toys, Steam Ships, Man-of-War ships that sail, Steam Engines, Swimming Frogs and Seals, Dogs and Cows.

Pictures
Medallions, in religious subjects, scenery, photographs or fancy colored photos.

ONE LOT OF OIL PAINTINGS, WORTH 50c, TO GO AT 25c EACH.

Toilet Sets
Brush and Comb Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Handkerchief Boxes, Glove Boxes, Shaving Sets, etc.

Perfumery
In bulk, by the ounce or in fancy boxes.

Games
Crokinole, Combono Boards, that play thirty games; General Grant's Corps, Railroad Game, Cadet Game, Parchesi, the game of Naval War, etc.

Books
A. B. C. Books, Story Books, Cloth-bound Books of Adventure for boys; good Story Books; Books that are suitable for Sunday school classes.

Imported Japanese China
Tea Sets, Sugar and Cream Sets, Fancy Vases, Handsome Cracker Jars, Chocolate Pots, etc.

Umbrellas
Make a handsome gift especially the ones we have for Holiday trade. Ladies' and Gents' Fancy Wood Handle Umbrellas, from \$1.00 up.

A lot of Pearl Handle, Silver mounted Umbrellas for ladies, from \$1.39 up.

You will find our whole stock well worth going through at this season of the year.

151-152 South Howard St.

Holiday Service

A. B. C. R. R.

From December 19th to January 5th, 1902, inclusive, cars will run every half hour between Akron and Cleveland.

Santa Claus at Becker's

Means that all the good things in

Sweetmeats, Homemade Candies, Fruits, Nuts, Cakes, Marzipan and lots of German Christmas Novelties in Baskets, Boxes, etc.

Were left by him in abundance; so come and call at

BECKER'S,

122 South Main Street.

Fuunston to the Fore.

Manila, Dec. 16.—In an earthquake here Sunday, Gen. Funston, distinguished himself by his effort to rescue Gov. Taft from a perilous position in a hospital. There was great excitement during the earthquake, some serious injuries, but no fatalities.

Gandy and Wood show large line of House Coats, the kind that fit. Prices reasonable.

BLAME

Distributed Equally by Mayor.

Many Troubles In the Twynham Family

Thoroughly Aired in Mayor's Court Monday.

Troubles in the family of Harry H. Twynham, of 174½ Benjamin st., are many, and Mayor Doyle Monday divided the blame equally between the father and mother. The father was arraigned on charge of assault and battery upon the mother, who appeared in court with one of her eyes hand-painted in blue.

"She got black eye while drunk," said the husband, "by falling on her face. I didn't strike her, but had to grab her hands to keep her from hitting me with a poker."

Things were being mixed at a lively rate, Saturday afternoon, when Officer A. McConnell called, and arrested Twynham. Among other things, his wife said he had thrown a seven-week-old baby down stairs, bruising its head badly.

Twynham said that his wife drank a great deal, smoked a pipe and neglected her work. "Often I have returned from my work and found no supper," he said. "On Saturday, when I got home, she was in the stable talking with a hostler."

The Mayor admitted that, while the defendant was guilty, as charged, he had great provocation. Twynham was fined \$10 and costs and sentenced 30 days, but the time part was suspended, pending good behavior.

The Twynham family consists of father, mother and 11 children, the youngest being twins, aged seven weeks.

PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS

On Timely Topics by the Editor of the Akron Germania.

The Akron Germania has the following to say, with reference to Attorney L. S. Pardee's desire to attain the position of sergeant-at-arms of the State Senate.

"Attorney L. S. Pardee, who is considering a second term as sergeant-at-arms of the Ohio Senate, has a strong rival for the position in the person of ex-Senator Blake, of Columbus. There are some interesting people in America. First they surround themselves with the glorious radiance and the toga of a Senator, and then fight for such a small office as that of doorkeeper or servant."

Editor Seybold registers the appended kick, with reference to the street car service on North Hill:

"The residents of North Hill are complaining bitterly about the irregular and very inferior street car service that exists on North Howard st. Passengers are often compelled to wait from 20 to 30 minutes before a car comes, while the N. O. T. Co. is pledged by contract to run cars every 10 minutes. The grievance has been carried verbally before the Board of City Commissioners, and that body has been urged to grant the N. O. T. Co. no further privileges in South Akron until they have provided a better service on North Hill."

BECK'S BILL.

His Trip by Freight Was Quite Expensive.

New, Dec. 16.—John Beck, the man who shipped himself in a box on the Hamburg-American Steamship, which arrived at this port Dec. 2, has applied to Commissioner Shields for his first citizenship papers. Beck said he was 30 years old, and was born in Austria. He forewent allegiance to the Emperor of Austria. Beck is now employed at a hotel in this city as a painter. He is meeting a bill for \$70 presented by the Hamburg-American line. Of this, \$50 is for third-class passage, \$15 for expressage on the box, in which he came, \$2.50 for the ambulance in which he was taken to the hospital in Hoboken; \$10 for a fine for violating the immigration laws and the remainder for messages. He had paid \$50 of it already.

IMMIGRANTS

Attracted Attention at Union Depot, Saturday.

A Russo-German immigrant, with his wife, children and a friend who is traveling with the family, were at the Union depot Saturday waiting for their train for the West. They had been placed aboard the wrong train while at Baltimore, and were put off at Akron to await the arrival of the right one. The family man is bound for Harrington, Kas., and the other goes to Toledo.

The children were bright eyed nites, but very dirty. The wife was a patient eyed creature, who sat quietly wherever placed by her lord and master, and awaited his pleasure. The family attracted a great deal of attention from travelers.

BURDENED WOMEN.

We look in amazement at the burdens some women carry upon their heads. Yet how light they are compared with the burdens some women carry upon their hearts. There are childless women whose hearts ache ceaselessly because of the childless home. That burden of childlessness has been lifted from the heart of many a woman by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Many of the obstacles to maternity are removable by "Favorite Prescription." It contains no alcohol nor narcotic.



Married Six Years and Childless.

"I have never written you how grateful I am to you for your help in securing good health and one of the sweetest, dearest, thirteen pound girls that ever came into a home," writes Mrs. M. Vasing of 647 South Liberty Street, Galesburg, Ill. "I took six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, four of the Golden Medical Discovery and four vials of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Before I had taken four bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' I was a new woman. I cannot make you describe my feelings of gratitude, so will close by saying if any one doubts the value of Dr. Pierce's medicine I will be pleased to confirm the truth of all I say if they will enclose stamped envelope for reply."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a ladies' laxative. No medicine equals them for gentleness and thoroughness.

"INTERVIEW"

Rural Residents," Suggests Mr. Spangler.

Another Letter Discussing Correspondence Department.

Mr. Howard Spangler, Clinton correspondent for the Times-Democrat, believes that the opinion of the country residents on the various public questions should be solicited and published, as well as those of city residents. He believes correspondents should occasionally secure interviews from prominent citizens in their neighborhood and embody them in letters. "This session of Congress," writes Mr. Spangler, "will be especially important, and doubtless, the subscribers in the rural districts would be glad of an opportunity to express themselves on its doings. And I believe there are many residents in the rural districts as well informed, and capable of expressing themselves as some of our city neighbors." With reference to the ordinary duties of correspondents, Mr. Spangler suggests that they send for publication only such items as have news value; to ignore petty gossiping, and have their letters taken in a wider scope—not preparing their letters merely as a mouth-piece for some particular clique in their neighborhood.

FOR THE BOERS.

Copy of a Petition In Circulation In Akron.

The German-American Central Association, of Philadelphia, has placed in circulation a petition to Congress, asking for the interference of the United States in behalf of the Boers, in South Africa, and the German-American societies of the entire country are urged by the President of the Philadelphia Association, to secure as many signers to the petition as possible.

A copy of the document has been sent to Akron, and is being held at the office of the Akron Germania, for the signatures of Akron Germans and Pro-Boers. A number of Akron signatures have already been secured.

WHAT NEXT!!!
Why Aja Cold Cure. No effect on the heart. No special effect on the bowels. No unpleasant effect ANYWHERE. Prevents Pneumonia, cures the Grip.

SKAT PLAYERS.

They Held a Tournament at Music Hall, Sunday.

"Skat," a German game of cards that is regarded as almost the national German game, was transplanted to the United States some time ago, and has proved very popular among the German-Americans and native Americans, too. In many of the larger cities there are clubs where Skat is the whole subject and object of the organization.

Tournaments and series after series are played, and some of the players are said to develop great skill. An organization for skat playing was recently organized in this city, and some hot contests have resulted. A skat tournament was held at the quarters of the Akron Liedertafel, in Music Hall, Sunday afternoon. There was a large attendance and some interesting games.

Our line of fine furs are superior in quality and much cheaper in price. Byrider Bros.

HOLIDAY RATES

On Dec. 24, 25 and 31, 1901, and Jan. 1, 1902, The Erie R. R. will sell excursion tickets to all points in the Central Passenger Association territory at greatly reduced rates; good returning until Jan. 2, 1902. For details call on or address C. D. Honodde, ticket agent Union depot.

DEWEY

Subscribed to the Findings,

And Therefore Agrees In Them,

says the Judge Advocate General.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The Secretary of the Navy now has before him for review the report of the Court of Inquiry in the Schley case. He is naturally taking time to do this carefully, so that immediate action is not expected. Meanwhile the court is technically in session and will remain so until dissolved by order of Secretary Long.

The question has been raised since the appearance of the two reports in print, however, Admiral Dewey, the president of the court, subscribed to the opinions expressed, in the first report, and it is pending, appending his signature, that signature being required of him apparently by the regulation above alluded to regardless of his individual opinion. In response to inquiry on this point, the Judge Advocate General of the Navy says: "According to naval practice Admiral Dewey, by affixing his signature to the report of the Court of Inquiry in the case of Admiral Schley, expressed full concurrence in all the findings of fact in all the opinions reached by the court except those with respect to which he has in terms signified dissent in his minority opinion."

To see a rushing business being done in the line of Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry go to B. Wingert's, the Jeweler. Open every evening until Christmas.

THORNE

Pricks Webster In Formal Charges.

The Row at Ohio Experimental Station.

Governor Nash Has Failed to Settle It.

(Special Correspondence.)
Columbus, O., Dec. 16.—Professor Charles E. Thorne director of the State Agricultural Experimental station at Wooster, has preferred charges against Prof. F. M. Webster, of the station, accusing him of insubordination, falsehood and inefficiency. The charges have been placed before the Board of Control of the institution which will investigate them and announce its decision at its next meeting, the latter part of January.

The Thorne-Webster feud has been waged bitterly for over a year and has attracted much attention. Professor Webster is the state entomologist. Governor Nash who is ex-officio a member of the Board, has been endeavoring to effect a reconciliation between both officials, but has met with little success.

The question of Professor Webster's right to draw two salaries, one as state entomologist and the other as state inspector of trees, was raised by Director Thorne, who did not wish to assume the responsibility of signing his vouchers, but Attorney General Sheets ruled Saturday afternoon that there was no illegality in the payment of both salaries.

COMET NOTES.

Comet, Dec. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Hartsville, were guests of her mother, Mrs. L. A. Treesh, Sunday.

A series of revival services have begun in the United Evangelical church, by Rev. Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brancher were in Canton, Wednesday.

Miss May Brancher has returned from spending several weeks in Canton.

Mr. Wilmer Treesh who has been employed in the Hartsville celery garden, the past summer, has returned home in Akron, Wednesday.

Messrs. Freeman and William Daily made a business trip to Akron, Friday.

Miss Martha Treesh spent several days with her sister Mrs. Shem-becker.

Mrs. Lavina Harmon, of Canal Fulton, has called upon her mother, Mrs. Buchtel, who is very ill at present.

ONE DOSE IN TIME SAVES NINE

When you feel that you have taken cold take a dose of Aja Cold Cure that will END the cold. Prevents Pneumonia and cures the Grip.

HOLIDAY TRIPS AT REDUCED RATES.

Via B. & O. R. R., P. & W. Ry. and C. T. & V. R. R. to stations in Central Passenger Association territory, Dec. 24, 25 and 31, and Jan. 1st; good returning until Jan. 2, 1902, inclusive. For details call on or address C. D. Honodde, ticket agent Union depot.

M. O'Neil & Co.

EACH YEAR FURNITURE BECOMES MORE POPULAR FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Because of the increasing beauty in its manufacture. Never before have we made such preparations to show the right kind of furniture at the right price.

We mention only a few of the many beautiful pieces in this department,

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Writing Desks.
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183 S. Howard St. Palace Drug Store.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association Met Thursday.

Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association, No. 351, held an interesting meeting Thursday night and elected the following officers for the coming year:

Spiritual director, Rev. J. B. Brown; president, Mrs. Elizabeth Backe; vice president, Mrs. M. Wein; second vice president, Mrs. H. Siegert; corresponding secretary, Charlotte Bergmann; financial secretary, Lena Dietrich; treasurer, Lena Rehner; marshal, Anna Boss; sentry, Rosa Becker; trustees, Mrs. J. Kolb and Miss Anna Daubenfeld.

EXHIBITION DRILL.

One of the Features of the Turners' Christmas Celebration.

The distribution of presents to the children and a series of exhibitions in athletic and acrobatic work by mem-

Laurels Again!
The Paris Exposition made the Gold Medal Award to
I.W. HARPER KENTUCKY WHISKEY
Gold medals were also awarded at New Orleans, St. Louis, Chicago 1893.
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People's Phone No. 1489.
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1 to 5 and 9 to 8 p.m.
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Room 2, Coventry Building

Dr. F. M. Caesar, DENTIST.

8:30 to 11:30 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m.
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